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TWO CENTS

FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS WILL LIKELY BE SUCCESSFUL

**Much Progress Made at
Meeting Held Monday
Evening**

ANOTHER MEETING JUNE SIXTH

The federation of the Women's Clubs of Charleroi and vicinity was partly perfected at a meeting of this organization Monday evening in the Borough Building. Mrs. F. C. Stahlman, chairman of the Women's Committee of the Chamber of Commerce, presided for a time, and then introduced Mrs. W. B. Pfeleghardt, who is chairman of the Federation of Women's Clubs. It was found by actual count that seventeen different women's organizations were represented. The Catholic and Episcopal were probably the most enthusiastic about coming into the federation. The Catholic organization alone has a membership of about 230 women. Some of the missionary societies of the churches were not quite clear as to whether this larger community work might in any way hinder their missionary activities. Mrs. Pfeleghardt explained in detail that no organization would be asked to do anything except by its own consent, and that probably no dues would be asked from any organization.

Mrs. Chas. VanVoorhis, representing the Christian Missionary Society reported that they needed some additional information before coming into the federation. Mrs. Allen reported that the W. C. T. U. was quite ready to join the federation. Mrs. R. C. Mountser gave a report as to how the Donora and Monessen federations were carried on. It was explained by Mr. Heffner, Manager of the Chamber of Commerce, that the Women's federation would have a co-ordinate and not a sub-ordinate relation to the Chamber of Commerce and that there would be great advantages in having all the women massed into a single organization toward the accomplishment of any civic or moral purpose. No one group of women can make a very great impression upon the community, but if a thousand of our most intelligent and best women demand a clean-up in politics their voice will be heard, and the streams of political pollution will be cleansed.

It was pointed out that since women are entering the field of politics and have the right to vote, that more than ever must they take an interest in their own community life.

A public library is probably one of the first things which the women will agitate. According to the law of this state, two mills of the taxation may go toward the building of a library.

The next meeting of the federation will be held on Monday June 6th at which time the details of federation will be completed.

Tomorrow is the beginning and Saturday the ending of Great May Clearance Sale at Fau Dry Goods Co. 298-t1-

MAJESTIC THEATRE TODAY
Ben Turpin, in "A Small Town Idol"
also "Roaring Lions on Parade," a good comedy
TOMORROW--BABE RUTH in "HEADIN' HOME."
Also Comedy, "Weddin' Blues"

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CHARLEROI, PA.

WRECKS MACHINE TO SAVE CHILD

A large touring car was badly damaged in an accident at the intersection of the Charleroi-Donora street car line at Black Diamond on Saturday last.

A Monessen man, driving an automobile, was going toward Monongahela, and when near the point of accident, saw a little child in the road just ahead of him. At that point the street is very narrow, and in order to avoid hitting the child and possibly killing it, the driver steered his car to the left of the road and in so doing ran into the side of the little confectionery building at that place. One wheel of the machine was torn off the wind shield broken, and the car otherwise damaged, but the driver escaped with a slight cut and some bruises. The machine was later towed to the Keystone garage at Monongahela for repairs.

STATE TROOPERS EN- FORCING AUTO LAWS

Officers from the detachment of State Police located in Donora have been very active the past few days in picking up violators of the automobile laws. Thursday night of last week two of these officers picked up twelve drivers on Park avenue, Monongahela, charged with operating motor vehicles without rear lights burning. Eight of the cases were taken before Justice Miller of Carroll township, and four before Alderman Elwood in Monongahela. All of the defendants were fined and assessed the costs.

The prosecutions are made under an act of Assembly enacted in 1919, and which the State Troopers have been ordered to enforce to the limit without regard to persons or conditions. The measure requires that the rear lights be kept burning whether the car is in operation or parked along the highway. The law further provides that prosecutions must be made in the balivick of the Justice of the Peace where the violation occurs and that it is imperative that they dispose of the case.

DINNER DANCE AT THE COUNTRY CLUB

This evening a dinner dance will be held at the Monongahela Valley Country Club, which is expected to attract a large number of members. The social events at the Club are proving very popular and are being well attended. The June social program has not yet been announced.

Shop early if possible, during Fau Dry Goods Co. May Clearance Sale, starting tomorrow. 298-t1-

Miss Lockner of J. Bridwell of West Elizabeth spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. John Dietz.

One of the big events of the year Fau Dry Goods Co., May Clearance Sale. 298-t1-

Read the Classified column.

ADOPTED CHILDREN DO NOT SHARE

Judge James S. Beacom of the orphan's court of Westmoreland county, has been sustained by the supreme court in his decision in the estate of James K. Boyd, late of Monessen. Mr. Boyd executed his will in 1901, in which he left his entire estate to his wife. Later he and Mrs. Boyd adopted two children by legal proceedings. Mr. Boyd died in December, 1919, and the will executed in 1901 was admitted to probate and letters testamentary issued to the executor named therein. When the executor filed the first and final account the question of the rights of the adopted children to inherit was raised.

After going into the law in the case Judge Beacom decided the children were not entitled to inherit under the provisions of the will and it was from this decree that an appeal was taken to the supreme court, and the lower court was sustained.

NEW FIRE ENGINE FOR BELLEVERNON

The fire department of Belle Vernon has decided to purchase a new fire truck, and at a joint meeting of members of the department and council, held a short time ago, after hearing the representatives of a number of companies, a vote was taken, which decided to award the contract to the Seagrave company of Columbus, Ohio. The price to be paid for the machine is \$12,850, and it will be equipped with a splendid force pump as well as chemical tanks. The new truck will be similar to the one recently placed in commission in Monongahela. The addition of the truck to the Belle Vernon department will serve to further strengthen the fire fighting resources of this section of the valley with splendid machines located in all the towns in this vicinity.

JIM BUCHANAN OPENS POOL ROOM

"Jim" Buchanan, the well known local promoter of sports, has opened a new pool room, second floor, 211 Fifth street. The large and airy room has been handsomely fitted up for the purpose, with an entire new equipment, where those who enjoy this form of amusement can find much to please and entertain themselves.

At the meeting of the American Exhibitors' Association of Western Pennsylvania and West Virginia, held in the Fort Pitt Hotel, Pittsburgh on Monday, at which 500 delegates were present, C. D. Rosenbloom of Charleroi was appointed a member of the committee on ways and means.

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Values of unquestionable merit at Fau Dry Goods Co. 298-t1-

UNLOADING DEVICE OF BIG BARGE WAS UNDER INSPECTION

PROCLAMATION

Since it has been the custom to observe Memorial Day from the time of the Civil War and since the President of the United States has issued a proclamation calling upon the people of the Nation to turn aside from their regular tasks to pay fitting tribute to all who have sacrificed for the Nation's welfare by serving this country in time of great crisis, and since local patriotism needs to be fostered, let us forget our rich heritages of the past, I, S. L. Woodward, Burgess of Charleroi, do hereby issue this proclamation calling upon the citizens of this Borough to observe Memorial Day by the proper display of flags, the decoration of graves and by reflecting upon the glorious liberties which we enjoy through the sacrifices made upon the battlefields. S. L. Woodward, Burgess

**Self-unloading System So
Satisfactory that It May
Be Extended**

OFFICIALS WATCH OPERATION

The officials of the Pittsburgh Steel company were given an official demonstration this morning at the Monessen plant, of the capabilities of the big steel barge, known as "Big Ben," and its unloading device, the only one of its kind in use on western waters.

The big barge, loaded with about 1,700 tons of coke, was brought down from the Alicia mine, near Brownsville, Monday evening, by the steamer Collier and tied up at the new dock near the blast furnaces. The work of unloading was deferred until this morning, so that officials could be on hand to see the process by means of which the immense cargo was transferred from the barge to the fuel yard without being handled by manual labor. The device which was installed on this craft at its building is an adaptation of the conveyor system by means of which immense belts working the entire length of the barge, delivers coal or coke to the elevator belt at the forward end of the boat and thence transferred to the conveyor system installed in the shore elevator. By a series of hatchways in the barge the coke is allowed to drop on to the belt which runs along the bottom of the boat, and thence transferred to the elevator at the end of the craft. All of this machinery is driven by electrical power, and the only labor connected with the proceeding is the inspection incidental to the operation of the machinery. By means of this system it is possible to unload this immense steel barge in a few hours, and at a comparatively small cost.

It is intimated that this inspection on the part of steel officials is only preliminary to the building of another of these crafts which would be utilized in the carrying of coal from the mines at Brownsville to the plant at Monessen. The cost of operation is so small and the working of the system has been so satisfactory that officials recognize its merits and are anxious to extend the facilities to such an extent as to take care of practically all of the fuel needs of the company.

EXTENSION PLANS HAVE BEEN APPROVED

The State Department of Health has approved plans for the extension of the filter plant of the Belle Vernon Water company. Work on this improvement is expected to begin very soon.

New Pool and Billiard Parlor 211 Fifth street, large, light and airy room. Jim Buchanan, Prop. 298-t1-

May Clearance Sale this week only at Fau Dry Goods Co. 298-t1-

Fau Dry Goods Co., big May Clearance Sale starts tomorrow. 298-t1-

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34x4	\$38.71	\$26.53
32x4 1/2	\$41.40	\$33.25
33x4 1/2	\$42.35	\$34.26
34x4 1/2	\$43.43	\$35.42
35x4 1/2	\$44.69	\$36.99

War Tax Included in Above Prices.

Might's Book Store

"Brewster's Millions"

starring Roscoe (Fatty) Arbuckle also Billie West in "He's in Again" a 2-reel comedy. TO-DAY

"The Mistress of Shanstone" starring Pauline Frederick

TOMORROW

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AGGRIEVED PICKPOCKETS.

Genoa has a Pickpockets' Association whose members have a grievance expressed in a formal complaint by letter to the old Italian city's Chief of Police. The letter bitterly complains that the people whose pockets are picked shamelessly exaggerate the extent of their losses, with the result—the account reads—that when an honest pickpocket turns into the common fund for equitable division among his colleagues 50 lire, say, as taken from such and such a victim at such and such a time and place and the victim reports to the police that he was deprived of ten or twenty times as much, then suspicions of misappropriation are aroused in the minds of his associates and lamentable quarrels arise, ending not infrequently in the shedding of innocent blood.

In other words, there is honor among the thieves, but little or none among the robbed citizens of Genoa. The thieves want to play fair with their confederates, but even when they do so the lies of good citizens breed suspicion and ill will among otherwise harmonious pickers of pockets, thus tempting them to cut each others' throats. Apparently this highly entertaining letter stops at indignant protest and does not tell Genoa's Chief of Police what he should do about it. Doubtless he thinks that the only practical remedy is to clean up the pickpockets to as large an extent as possible and induce them within the persuasion of prison walls to consider the advisability of turning over a new leaf. Certainly nothing can be done in Genoa or in other cities to check the tendency toward exaggeration among persons who are robbed or who pass through any other more or less thrilling adventure.

Four negroes have caused to be fined the keeper of a New York tea-room who refused to serve them, but their legal triumph, according to the New York Times, "will not change the fact that white sentiment here is overwhelmingly against the close association of the two races in places of public entertainment, and the success of these litigants will not be profitable to the black folk nor conducive to their happiness."

Mr. Bertha Krupp, whose maiden name was Bohlen, says the Germans will never pay a cent even if the Allies occupy all Germany, and that the invaders would be demoralized in six months by "assassinations." He seems to expect the soldiers of the Allies to find nothing to do but sit around meekly until the Germans had knifed them all.

The church federation of Chicago alternately describes the theatrical performances in that city as "sacriligious, sensational and salacious." Its opinion of Chicago politics has not yet been announced, but the "whip of scorpions" style of invective may be expected.

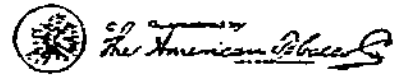
A classified ad. will rent that vacant room.



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To seal in the
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It's Toasted



Not to Be Outdone.

During the after-dinner speaking, the toastmaster saw Jones, a somewhat shady character, slip two spoons in his vest pocket. When the last orator had finished he rose. "Gentlemen," he said, "there is nothing to add after all this brilliant speaking, so I will try to entertain you with a little parlor magic. You see, I take two spoons. I slip them in my vest pocket. Presto—and they are in the pocket of Mr. Jones. Mr. Jones, will you please corroborate my statement?" Jones, not to be outdone, rose. "I'm rather handy at that sort of thing myself," he said. "Presto—and they are back in the pocket of the toastmaster. Mr. Toastmaster, if you don't corroborate my statement, I'll have you searched on the spot."—American Legion Weekly.

Britons Have New Telephone.

A new telephonic device already in actual use in England is the larynxophone, a transmitter in which a disk is placed against the throat of the speaker and the sound is transmitted by the vibration of the vocal chords, says a London dispatch to the New York Tribune. It is suitable for use in noisy factories and workrooms where the ordinary telephone mouthpiece transmitter would pick up the other sounds in the room and so prevent conversation.

In appearance the larynxophone resembles the ordinary telephone except that there is a smooth rounded rubber disk instead of a mouthpiece. The receiver is the same and the messages are received in the ordinary speaking voice.

Land for Canadian Soldiers.

The forest reserves held by the Canadian federal government and all situated in the West, comprise an area of approximately 27,500,000 acres, and consist of tracts of land unsuitable for agriculture which have been set apart permanently for forest production. At the request of the soldier settlement board areas totalling about 430,000 acres were withdrawn from the reserves in order to be made available for soldier settlement. For the most part these areas consist of small tracts of a few hundred acres, withdrawn from a number of different reserves. Only in the cases of the Riding Mountain and Porcupine reserves were the areas larger, about 220,000 acres being withdrawn from the former and about 240,000 acres from the latter.

Dress and Insurance Rates.

Swiss women who wear short skirts and low-necked gowns will have to pay higher rates of life insurance than those who do not. The Swiss insurance companies have announced that in fixing the premiums on policies of women's lives they will take into consideration the women's wearing apparel. The shorter the skirt or lower the décolleté, the higher the insurance rate will be.

The Swiss companies justify this action on the ground of a great increase of illness and disease among the women clients which they claim is due to the wearing of short skirts and low-necked dresses.

POLISH WOMEN FOUGHT WELL

Famous "Brigade of Death" Gave
Good Account of Itself on
Fields of Battle.

The decision of the demobilization of the women's brigade in the Polish army, which consisted of 2,000 fighters, has led to the consideration of its merits and services during the World war. The commander of this "Brigade of Death" expressed some doubts about her sex proving of much value on the firing line, but upon what her condition was founded is not indicated. The records of the brigade show that 20 women fighters deserted to get married. It may be on this score that the commander feels that their efficiency is doubtful.

Waiving this drawback, however, the discipline and fearlessness of these women who had prepared themselves for active fighting are rather significant. In tenacity and intrepidity they probably could not be outclassed or perhaps equaled by the women of any other country. The actual casualties of the brigade were not more than 100, but even this number indicates that its members faced considerable danger and the possibility of death. To be able to meet an emergency, to be equipped and drilled for combat, and to be prepared to die on the battlefield may not be what should be expected of women, nor ways in which they can best serve, but the brigade has shown its mettle.—Knickerbocker Press.

WORLD NOT YET FILLED UP

There Are Many Places Where the
Lover of Solitude Can Find What
He Is Looking For.

Crowded as the world seems to be getting, Robinson Crusoe could find a haven today, and he would not have to resort to the polar regions, either. Numerous islands still dot the seas where a visitor would find no living soul, and there are others where the inhabitants are living in almost primitive simplicity, says a bulletin from the Washington headquarters of the National Geographic society.

Nor is it necessary for you to choose a plot of land belonging to any other than the United States. There is Baker's Island, 3,725 miles out from San Francisco, as well as many other such isolated dots in the Pacific, where there will be no chance of getting even a faithful Friday to share your lot. Vessels used to haul guano from the island, but today the deposits are practically worked out. If you feel that you must have your "life somewhere in the offing you can send her on to Howland Island, 25 miles to the westward, an equally deserted spot, and row over to see her when you get bored with you freedom.

Progress on Isle of Man.

On the quaint and picturesque Isle of Man, made famous by Hall Gullies' fiction, an ancient pump of the chain-bucket variety, built into a masonry abutment on the face of a rock cliff, lifts its endless load of water some eighty feet from the pool below, says Popular Mechanics Magazine. For many years a big steam engine of obsolete form, slow and extravagant of fuel, attended to the duty of turning the chain shaft. But now the old boiler and cylinder are gone, and in their place a modern wind motor has been installed, its slim, efficient steel form rising from the cliff top in striking, yet not inharmonious, contrast with the primitive ruggedness that marks the earlier work of man and nature. The whirling 26-foot wheel of the new machine power now is drawing up 14,300 gallons of water an hour, as an average figure, and it is significant of the value of modern methods that the saving of fuel, no longer needed for a hungry boiler, soon paid the cost of the mill.

The last word in journalism is the Aerial Mail, a daily newspaper, which is edited, printed and published from an airplane in flight. The Daily Mail which is sponsoring it, says it will contain the latest British and continental news, political, financial and general, covered both at the moment the airplane "takes off" and while it is flying. The news being sent by wireless. A special printing plant has been installed and newspapers will be distributed by means of parachutes dropping the editions into the towns the airplane flies over.

Chief Suffragette.

A friend who had known a Thomas Pilley Marshall for a great many years saw him after the crisis of office had been removed from his shoulders, just as he was about to board a Washington street car. He stopped and asked:

"Tell me, Mr. Marshall, what can be done to make the office of vice president a great office?"

"I'll tell you in one minute, and you even have to miss this car," said Mr. Marshall. "There isn't anything to do. The vice president will be elected by the electors to the king."

Something Just as Good.

"I live in Twenty Thousand Leagues Under the Sea?"
"No, my dear," said the facetious clerk, "I own forty acres under water that was sold to me as good farming land."

Too Industrious.

"Who is the mysterious stranger?"
"Some kind of investigator."
"Working for the government?"
"I doubt it. He keeps pretty busy."

SEARCH FOR MUSICAL THIEF

Peculiar and Clever Crook Is Just
Now Engaging the Attention of
London Police.

Detectives are searching for an accomplished thief who plays the piano and sings for his victims before going away with the valuables.

Although known to the police, he has been "operating" in St. John's Wood, London, for more than a month and his two latest coups have been carried out within a few minutes' walk of each other.

He returned a fortnight ago to a house in St. George's terrace, Primrose Hill, where he had taken apartments, while the other boarders were at dinner. Inquiries resulted in the discovery that the lodger had gone with jewelry including four gold rings set with diamonds, worth \$2,000.

A woman in King Henry's road, London, is the latest victim. On Monday the man rang up and in a short time arrived in a taxicab. He stated that he would fetch his luggage later.

Insisting on paying in advance he made out a check for a week's board and made himself agreeable by his musical accomplishments, but a prolonged absence in the bathroom excited suspicion, and it was found that a trunk had been forced and \$1,000 worth of jewelry stolen. A finely-cased gold watch, valued at \$500, was among the articles stolen, and the check was dishonored.—From the Continental Edition of the London Mail.

QUIT TELLING FUNNY STORIES

Why Congressman Kelly Sacrificed
Humor on the Altar of Serious
Statesmanship.

Patrick Kelly, a representative in congress from Michigan, says that he used to tell many stories in going about in his political campaigns. The audiences always liked them and went away pleased. Telling them took a lot of good politics.

Years later Kelly would meet a man and he would say:

"I have met you before, I remember very well a certain story you told."
Then he would repeat the anecdote. Kelly would ask him what else he remembered that had been said, and he would be unable to remember a thing. The congressman began to wonder if the telling of stories prevented more serious matters from finding lodgment in the hearer's mind.

He became fearful. He was no sure, but he decided to lay off the funny story. So was the possibility of a multitude of good laughs sacrificed at the altar of serious statesmanship.—New York Sun.

One Way to Attract Customers.

In a small New England town I met a druggist who makes a specialty of selling postage stamps. He says that to retail 2-cent stamps for 2 cents each is the most profitable line in his store. These sales would be extremely unprofitable, if he handled stamps grudgingly or grudgingly, saying by his manner: "Whatta you mean by bothering me to sell you postage stamps?" But he has signs in his window telling that he has plenty of stamps, and makes a special effort to be more pleasant and accommodating and gracious about a stamp sale than at any other time. He has attracted thousands of permanent customers in that way. "A new customer is worth many dollars a year," he observes, "whether the thing that first brought him in is postage stamps, cigars or whatnot. So having enticed him in, why should I do anything to make him sorry he came?"—Fred Kelly in The Nation's Business.

The New York Medical Journal says:

"Dr. Lichtwardt, a medical missionary, tells that many of the Persian sick women are obliged to steal away, during their husband's absence, to see a doctor."

"Honorable Sir," says the introductory note, "please see me at once that I may return home before my husband, else he will beat me severely."

"We should not think neurotics abroad for the husband often says to the doctor:

"Well, let her die, for even if she gets well I'll divorce her and get a new wife. I don't want a weak one in my house."

Morris Chair Fire-Escape.

A morris chair fire-escape, which is described in Popular Mechanics Magazine, comprises a comfortable piece of furniture and ready means of safety in case of fire. By extending two brackets, attached to the back of the chair out of a window and strapping a rope, wound on a spool under the chair seat, over a pulley located on a rod between the two bracket ends, a quick descent to the ground is accomplished. A brake, controlled by the fire victim, regulates the speed of the descent.

Fondness for Animals.

"Hiram," said Mr. Cornstossel, "the new hired man says he's fond of horses."
"That may be a help and then it may not. The trouble with the last hired man was that he was fond of horses. Only he didn't care about 'em unless they was on the race track."

High, But We Must Have 'em.
Kiddie—I don't suppose you'd take his weight in gold for your baby, would you?
Newpup—No; I should hardly like to sell out at cost.

COUPON

Slogan Contest Charleroi Chamber of Commerce

\$25.00 PRIZE FOR WINNER

I suggest the following slogan.....

This contest begins Monday, May 23rd, and closes Saturday, May 28th. All slogans must be mailed or deposited at Chamber of Commerce not later than Tuesday noon, May 31. The judges are the Merchants Committee, Messrs. Stevenson, Night, Doerzbacher, Teitelbaum and Kimmins.

Name

Address

NO RAINBOW AFTER DELUGE

Johns Hopkins University Professor
Explains How the Historic Mis-
understanding Came About.

The rainbow after the deluge, described in the book of Genesis 9:13, was not a rainbow after all, but a collection of great fly-brushes of the ancient oriental gods, declares Prof. Paul Haupt of Johns Hopkins university. Announcement of his discovery was made by Doctor Haupt at Goucher college, at a session of the American Oriental society, which held its one hundred and thirty-third convocation in Baltimore.

The mistake in Genesis, said Professor Haupt, probably is due to a misunderstanding of a character on one of the old cuneiform tablets. The word is "how," which could very easily be mistaken for "fly brush," he said. These huge feather brushes were in vogue among the old rulers in Assyria and Egypt, and were regarded as ancient symbols of sovereignty in the Orient.

According to Doctor Haupt, the ancients naturally gave their gods credit for having fly-brushes, and, in fact, in line 104 of the flood tablet the word "fly brush" appears as his life.

The passage says that "When Istar sees the gods gather around the offering like a swarm of flies (because there had been no offerings during the flood), she is so incensed that she takes the great fly-brushes of her father, Anu (king of the gods), to drive away the gods."

Not Needed.

A certain Democratic candidate for a state office in the last election tells a story on himself, and he evidently appreciates the humor in it now.

"I was billed for a speech at a country seat," his story goes, "and the Republican county chairman saw my announcement. He immediately wired to his state speakers' committee: 'Send one of the best speakers you have for Thursday night. So-and-so is to speak here the night before.'"

"I went to the town and made my speech. The next day the Republican county chairman wired his speakers' bureau: 'Cancel all arrangements for meeting tonight. It is not needed now.'"—Indianapolis News.

Giant Gas Tank Being Built.

The second largest gas holder in the world is under construction in Baltimore. When fully inflated the gas tank will stand 225 feet high and will have a capacity of 10,000,000 cubic feet of gas.

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PHONOGRAPHS AND RECORDS

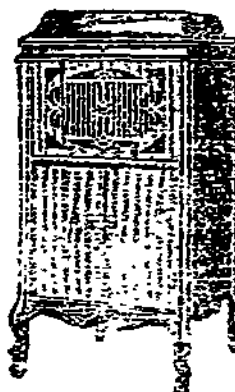
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All go on sale at exactly 25 Per Cent the Regular Price.

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\$29.00 Less 25 Per Cent	\$21.75
\$35.00 Less 25 Per Cent	\$26.25
\$39.00 Less 25 Per Cent	\$29.25
\$49.00 Less 25 Per Cent	\$36.75
\$59.00 Less 25 Per Cent	\$44.25
\$69.00 Less 25 Per Cent	\$51.75
\$79.00 Less 25 Per Cent	\$59.25
\$100.00 Less 25 Per Cent	\$75.00

COATS

Our Entire Stock of Ladies and Misses Coats or Wraps goes in this Sale at 25 Per Cent Off.

\$10.00 Less 25 Per Cent	\$7.50
\$15.00 Less 25 Per Cent	\$11.25
\$25.00 Less 25 Per Cent	\$18.75
\$29.50 Less 25 Per Cent	\$22.13
\$35.00 Less 25 Per Cent	\$26.25
\$49.50 Less 25 Per Cent	\$37.13
\$65.00 Less 25 Per Cent	\$48.75
\$89.50 Less 25 Per Cent	\$67.13

Special Economy Items for all this week in our annual white sale.

35- in Radium Percale, light and dark patterns, excellent quality, (basement) per yard19c

White and colored Flannelette, light checks and stripes (basement) per yard18c

Woven Stripe Madras Shirts regular \$5c value per yard49c

12x36 Pillow Cases, plain hem, very good quality each23c

One lot Dress Gingham, pretty plaids, (Basement) White Sale price, per yard12 1/2c

Best Grade Percale, nothing reserved, formerly sold 60c yard, all colors, figures and stripes per yd.24c

Boy's Heavy Ribbed Back Hose, all sizes per pair. 17c

Ladies' Gauze Vests that formerly sold special at 25c now19c

Ladies Black Sport Hose, two tone effects former \$2.00 values79c

36 in Unbleached Muslin, extra fine quality per yd. 17c

36-in Hope and Lonsdale Bleached Muslin per yd.19c

Pepperell 40 in. Unbleached Muslin per yd.17 1/2c

Permanent Finish Organdies, 44-in, imported Swiss Organdies, splendid assortment of colors, also white per yard\$1.00

Diamond Hill Bleached Cambric Muslin per yard19c

36-in Unbleached Muslin per yard7 1/2c

31-in Unbleached Sheeting, very good, heavy quality, regular 39c specials per pair29c

31 in. Bleached Sheeting, extra good quality yd.48c

36-in Indian Head, Sale Price per yd.25c

54-in Indian Head, Sale Price, per yard39c

J. W. Berryman & Son

CHARLEROI'S BUSY STORE

PERMIT NECESSARY TO USE OAKLAND PARK

The Westside Electric Street Railway company is getting Oakland Park in shape for the opening, which will take place on Monday, May 30, for the regular picnic season. This popular outing place will be operated on a somewhat different plan during the coming season. Heretofore it has been somewhat of a general practice for different organizations, and other parties to make use of this park without making any arrangements with the management, for the use thereof, and very often this arrangement was very embarrassing and unsatisfactory to all concerned. In the future it will be necessary for all parties to secure a permit for the use of this park which will be granted by the management at the general office in the Bank of Charleroi building, and it will be the rule that no one will be permitted to use the park without first having obtained a permit.

Notice To Bridge Contractors

Sealed proposals for the construction of the following bridges will be received by the County Controller, at his office, Court House, Washington, Pa., until 12 o'clock noon, Wednesday, June 1st 1921 and opened at 1:30 p. m. the same day. Plans, specifications and proposal blanks may be secured at the County Engineer's office in the Court House.

Ellsworth Bridge, Pigeon Creek No. 27 is to be reinforced concrete arch, 54 foot span, 24 foot roadway.

Arden Bridge, Chartiers Creek No. 50 is to be a Plate Girder Bridge, 55 ft. span, 20 ft. roadway and one 6 ft. sidewalk with concrete and brick floor.

Legonda Bridge, Chartiers Creek No. 66 is to be a concrete and I-beam bridge, 25 ft. span and 22 ft. roadway.

A certified check in the sum of \$500.00 must accompany each bid and the right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

T. J. Underwood
County Controller
May 10-17-24-31

North Charleroi

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sumpbell a son, on Thursday.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Melvin a son on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Scott and grand-daughter Isabella are visiting Mr. Scott's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Scott of Scarbro, W. Va., and friends at Princeton, W. Va.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Walts and children visited Mrs. Wall's sister at Webster on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Burke and children and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Burke and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sutherland on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Faulks and children, Mrs. H. Faulks and son Glenn and Mrs. Wm. McCreary were business callers in Belle Vernon on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Samuel Gaskill and son were business callers in Fayette City this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sutherland of Monessen were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Phillips on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Ethel Fram of Michigan is visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. William Clotte.

Miss Charlotte McMalle has returned for a few days with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wilson. She was accompanied home by Miss Catherine Wilson of this place who will visit there for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gayman and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Gayman of Marianna, and Miss Pearl Easley of Beaver Falls were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Zollars this week.

Mrs. Flora Wilson of Pittsburgh is visiting friends here for a few days. Miss Irene Jones of Allentown was the guest of Miss Velma Kibler recently.

The Misses Elizabeth eJenkins, Olive Cratty, Mary Francis and Velma Cratty were callers in Scenery Hill on Thursday evening.

Mrs. Jacob Gulentz and children of Philippi, W. Va., are guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Strauser. They also visited relatives and friends in McKeesport.

Mrs. Addison Springer and Mrs. Frank Wilkins and daughter Miss Elizabeth of eMadville are visiting relatives here this week.

Mrs. Thos. Dobbins of Wilson is the guest of her sister Mrs. Charles Taylor.

Mrs. Elizabeth Ruppert is visiting her granddaughter at California for a few weeks.

Mrs. Oscar Carson and daughter, Francis of Rice's Landing are visiting friends here for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Smith of Dunlevy motored to Ohio and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Wilson of that place.

Notice

Notice is hereby given that Bank of Charleroi, incorporated on the 17th day of January, 1893, under the provisions of an Act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An Act for the Incorporation and Regulation of Banks of Discount and Deposit," approved the 13th day of May, 1876, and re-chartered on the 6th day of December, 1917, having its banking houses and place of business in the Borough of Charleroi, County of Washington and State of Pennsylvania, will apply to the Governor of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the Commissioner of Banking on 14th day of June, 1921, for a special permit to act in any fiduciary capacity, as provided by the Act of Assembly of said Commonwealth, approved July 17th, 1919, P. L. 1032, under the name and style of "Bank of Charleroi and Trust Company," its location to remain and be in the said Borough of Charleroi, County of Washington and State of Pennsylvania and the amount of its capital will be Two Hundred Thousand Dollars.

Bank of Charleroi,
By Wm. I. Berryman,
Solicitor.
M-24-31-J-7

Sealed Proposals.

Sealed proposals will be received by the school district of the borough of Donora, Pa., until 8:30 p. m. new time, Friday, May 27th, 1921 at the Castner school building, Donora, Pa. for the painting of the walls and ceilings of the First street public school building. Plans of the building and specifications of the work to be done may be seen at the office of the architect. A certified check in the amount of \$100 shall accompany the bid. The school district reserves

FORD FACTORY IS RUNNING FULL TIME

Ford is building cars at full speed. And, according to an official statement from the factory at Detroit, the demand for Ford cars and trucks still exceeds the output, despite the fact that a new high level of production has been reached.

By the first of May the figures representing daily production were in the neighborhood of 4,000 a day, so the May schedule was set at 101,125 cars and trucks, not including the output of the Ford Canadian plant or any of the foreign assembling plants. The output mounted daily; May 12th brought forth 4092, the greatest number that have been produced in one day so far this year. Since the month has 25 working days, present indications point to a new high record.

A comparison of Ford production figures for 1920 and 1921 discloses the fact that for April, 1921, the output was greater by 34,514 than for the corresponding month of a year ago. The output for May, 1921, will probably overshadow May, 1920 by between fifteen and twenty thousand cars and trucks.

Approximately 43,000 men are at work in the Detroit plant of the Ford Motor Company. The factory is operating on full time, six days a week and three shifts a day.

The first stones in the front of the new First National Bank building were placed this morning. This phase of the work is expected to be pushed quite rapidly, as practically all of the material is ready for delivery. Other phases of the work in connection with the re-arrangement of the building are progressing very satisfactory.

Miss Florence Hott spent the week end with friends in Canonsburg.

The right to accept any or reject all bids that may be submitted.

J. Add Sprouls, President
R. E. Koehler, Secretary.
Conrad C. Compton, Architect,
Fourth and Thompson Avenue,
Donora, Pa. 296t5

WANT ADS

FOR SALE—Don't wait, buy now. See us for homes, farms or business opportunities. Come in. Moody's Real Estate, 413 Fallowfield. 293t3p

FOR SALE—Second hand Maxwell Sedan in good running order. Inquire 615 Mail office. 296t6

FOR SALE—Three horses, two sets double harness, one set single harness, two coal wagons, two dump wagon, two express wagons, one bob sled. Inquire of Cook's Transfer, 463 Donner avenue, Monessen. 294t5

FOR SALE—Special this week \$5300. Semi-Bungalow. 8 rooms, bath, new furnace, electric light, nice porch, Suitable for two families. Large lot, fruit, chicken house. Owner leaving city, \$1500 to \$2000 cash will handle. Act quick. Moody's Real-Estate, 413 Fallowfield. 297t4p

FOR SALE—One Overland roadster, 1916 model, in good running order: five new tires, new carburetor, good top. First \$225.00 takes it. One Haynes, 12-cylinder, 7-passenger, 1913 model, \$900.00. Good tires and newly repainted. Will demonstrate. Inquire of Charleroi Painting and Trimming company, 621 McKean avenue, Bell Phone 206-W. 297t5

FOR SALE—Gray baby carriage. Good condition. 524 Washington avenue. 255t-1

FOR RENT—Three unfurnished rooms. Gas, water and electric. Inquire 537 McKean avenue. 297t2p

FOR RENT—Two rooms for light housekeeping. 806 Fallowfield. 297t-3

FOR RENT—Furnished room. Inquire 802 Fallowfield avenue. 295t-1

FOR RENT—Furnished room. Inquire 610 Fifth street. 293t-3

FOR RENT—One room suitable for gentlemen, 109 Fallowfield avenue. 296t-3p

FOR RENT—Two light housekeeping rooms with bath. 501 Eighth street. Bell phone 540-R. 296t4

FOR RENT—Three rooms. No objection to one child. Inquire 617 Meadow. 297t-2p

FOR RENT—Two cheerful furnished rooms, bath, housekeeping. 212 Washington. 289t-5p

WANTED—Why be idle? Sell guaranteed trees and shrubs. Commence now and draw weekly pay. Part or full time. Guaranty Nursery Co., Rochester, N. Y. 258t-10p

WANTED—House to house people to sell our all size curtain rods and patented kitchen knife sharpeners. \$10.00 daily. Send 35 cents for 5th samples, and particulars on other fast selling necessities. The Agents Supply Co., 1119 Pennsylvania Avenue, N. S., Pittsburgh, Pa. 292t6p

WANTED—Cook for restaurant. Inquire at the Peerless Restaurant, Bentleyville or call Bell phone 33. 293t6p

WANTED—An experienced maid with references. Apply to Mrs. Willis McCook, 600 Crest avenue. Bell phone 528. 297t-3p

WANTED—"Several salesmen to handle fast selling specialty. A fine opportunity if you can qualify. No fake ad. Write Mac-Aldy Mfg. Co., Cement City, Mich. 295t-3p

WANTED—Work by tinner. Inquire Mike Drurard, 313 McKean avenue. 296t-4p

WANTED—To buy 5 to 15 acres Pittsburgh coal on Railroad. Undeveloped or operating. Give price, location and description. P. O. Box 611 298t-11p

WANTED—Screens to make or repair and lawns to mow. All work guaranteed. Ira Nickeson, Jr. 510 Meadow avenue. Local phone 180-Y. 289t-5p

WANTED—A new or slightly used medium priced automobile. Five passenger. In exchange for piano or player piano. Must be in good condition. Schroeder Piano Company 394-306 Fifth street, Charleroi. 298t-2

Candymaking business. Start at home. Everything furnished. Men, women. \$30 weekly. Bon-Bon Co., Philadelphia, Pa. 291t-7

GAVEL BLOCK IS A G. A. R. REMINDER

On display in an outside showcase of the Berryman store is the gavel block of Post 155, Grand Army of the Republic, North Side, Pittsburgh, now the property of Jacob Wise of Charleroi. This stone was picked up on the Gettysburg battlefield, a number of years ago, and made into a block for the use of the presiding officer of the post. It was in constant use during the life of the Post, but when the Post was disbanded a short time ago because of the decimation of its ranks by death, the paraphernalia was given to surviving members.

The dissolution of this Post, as well as many others throughout the country, indicate that the great organization known as the Grand Army of the Republic, will soon be a thing of the past. The surviving members are all past the three score and ten mark, and their expectation of life is brief. In the meantime the Posts which have heretofore been such a factor in the observance of Memorial Day have in a large measure been compelled to give over their work to younger hands, and this duty is largely devolving on members of the American Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars. These two organizations have many comrades who have answered the final roll call, and in the future it will be their sad duty to remember those who have gone before. The day was peculiarly set apart for the Grand Army of the Republic, but its provision were broad enough to embrace within its folds every man who served his country whether at home or in foreign lands, and it is a satisfaction to veterans of the G. A. R. to know that the work which they must now lay down is to be taken up by men vigorous and patriotic hearts.

CHARLEROI GIVES \$2,435.88 TO FUND

At the meeting of representative workers from all sections of the western part of Pennsylvania, who had part in the recent drive to collect money for the suffering people of Ireland, held at the Kaufman auditorium in Pittsburgh Monday evening, it was reported that a total of \$256,321.86 had been raised for the relief funds. Charleroi was represented at this meeting by C. J. Morgan, who was chairman of the local committee and Dennis Oates, and they reported that Charleroi and vicinity had contributed the sum of \$2,435.88 to this fund.

It was also announced at the meeting that an all-star theatrical performance would be given in Syria Mosque, on June 3rd, the proceeds of which will be devoted to this fund. Tickets have been placed on sale at \$5.00 each, and it is expected that Charleroi will take care of about one hundred admissions.

ORGANIZE CHURCH BASE BALL LEAGUE

A local church league of baseball teams was organized Monday evening at which time a number of representatives met at the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church and formed an organization. Four churches, the Methodist, Christian, First Presbyterian and Washington Avenue Presbyterian, met at the latter church and decided to frame a schedule for the season. It is the intention of the league to play two twilight games per week, and it is anticipated the movement will meet with popular favor. It is likely the circuit will be increased by the addition of other teams, as at least one church has intimated it might join.

Members of the various teams must not be over 20 years of age, and must conform to other regulations which will be laid down by the board of governors. The teams will be equipped and backed by their respective churches.

Lady canvassers in Charleroi and Monessen to sell an article used in every home. Pay \$3.00 per day and car fare. Address stating if you have had any experience canvassing or clerking in a store and giving phone number where possible. H. T. M. care Daily Mail. 294t10

LOST—Wrist Watch with initials, M. M. Between Conrad and Woodward avenue, Fourth street, Lock Four. Finder please return and receive reward. Marie Mazade, Box 202 Lock Four, Pa. 297t-3p

NERVOUS FAINTING SPELLS

Mrs. Werner Tells How They Yield to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound



Camden, N. J.—"Before my baby was born I was run down and weak, had pains in my back and stomach, was very nervous and would have fainting spells. I certainly suffered awfully with those nervous fainting spells. I did not know anyone at times and used to scream. A doctor treated me for the spells but did not seem to do much good. I had taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Liver Pills before so I began taking them again. I soon felt a change and could do my work without pain and was cured of these nervous spells. Now I have a nice fat baby girl and had an easy time at birth, thanks to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. WILLIAM C. WERNER, 1216 Van Hook St., Camden, N. J.

When a wife finds her energies are flagging, she is weak, nervous, suffers from backache, the "blues" she should build her system up at once by taking that standard woman's medicine, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, as did Mrs. Werner.

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Fallowfield Avenue	6 Rooms
Washington Avenue	12 Rooms
Washington Avenue	5 Rooms
Washington Avenue	7 Rooms
Washington Avenue	6 Rooms
Lincoln Avenue	5 Rooms
Meadow Avenue	7 Rooms
Meadow Avenue	8 Rooms
Lookout Avenue	4 Rooms
Oakland Avenue	5 Rooms

NORTH CHARLEROI

Railroad Street	8 Rooms
Fifth Street	6 Rooms
Fourth Street	7 Rooms
Fourth Street	6 Rooms
Conrad Avenue	6 Rooms
Centre Avenue	6 Rooms
Isabella Avenue	6 Rooms
Fifth Street	5 Rooms
Fourth Street	8 Rooms
Highland Avenue	8 Rooms

BELLE VERNON

Fayette Street	6 Rooms
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NO LONGER OLD AT THIRTY

Women Have Proved Conclusively That Age Is Not at All a Matter of Years.

Perhaps women who are not at all sensitive about their age are still in a minority. But their number is growing. In almost any gathering where women chatter pleasantly and with some animosity about things which interest them you find at least one woman who cheerfully admits that she is not thirty-five, but forty-five, or that it is a very long time since she was thirty.

One of the tragic conventions which have helped to wreck women's lives is this stupid tradition that at any given age a woman gets old. Years ago most women celebrated their thirtieth birthdays with a sense of depression. With greater common sense, women at least began to see that even after thirty they might enjoy life, and that the games and amusements and joys which are possible at twenty are no less possible at forty.

Today there lingers this ancient superstition that if you have reached a certain age you must not admit the fact. But it will not endure long. Now that we hear of a woman of ninety playing really capable golf, of women past fifty banding themselves together in cheery fashion as golfing veterans, of women of every and any age enjoying life, it will become unfashionable to conceal one's age.

From the Continental Edition of the London Mail.

SURVIVED STORM AT SAMOA

Major General Lejeune One of the American Sailors Who Came Safely Through Hurricane.

Secretary Edwin Denby of the navy is a fan on the history of that branch of the service and never misses an opportunity to expatiate on its glories.

He was speaking at a Navy league dinner not long ago and vividly described the events as they occurred when, in 1889, a hurricane caught three of our ships, three German ships and one flying the British flag in the harbor at Apia, Samoa, and sank them all except the Britisher, which man aged to get to sea.

He told how the American ships were battered to pieces on the rocks, how the Vandala sank and her crew rode out the storm in the rigging which still protruded from the water.

Three seats down the table from Mr. Denby sat Major General John A. Lejeune, commandant of marines. The secretary of the navy did not know at the time that Gen. Lejeune, then a naval cadet, was one of the boys who hung on to the rigging of the Vandala through the duration of the storm.

The Spring Straw Hat.

All winter long man wears a hat that is easy and comfortable—a friendly, slouchy, well-worn sort of thing that he can pull down over his ears when the wind blows or throw it to the air at a football game. It's just the sort of clothing a man ought to wear, not tyrannical but companionable. And then along comes spring. In the spring, say the poets, the spirit of man breaks its bonds. A fellow feels restless and indomitable, fit for anything and free as the wind. He brooks no restraint, not he. He looks upon his good old cap or hat and decides he ought to buy another. And he does. He goes and gets himself a straw hat—a stiff, uncomfortable, unreliable sort of thing that is faithless to every passing breeze. A man can't roll it up and put it in his pocket, he can't throw it into the air, he can't pull it down over his ears, he can't do anything with it except wear it daintily and carefully, until the time comes to smash it in the autumn and go back to the old cloth hat. And that's the best proof of the madness of spring—not love, not blooming flowers, but the new straw hat that leaves a red mark on a fellow's forehead.—San Francisco Call

A party of soldiers stopped some laborers to search their dinner pails for hidden arms.

All at once a soldier gave a cry and hurried across to the officer in charge holding at arm's length a hard, heavy mass.

After due examination the officer pronounced it a suspicious metal which would endanger public safety. I started to question the workman whose possession it was found.

"And you think that's dynamite, do you?" asked Pat. "Be jabbers, I've been puzzlin' my head over it all day. You see my old woman calls it cake."

Giant Telegraph System.

According to the United States bureau of the census there are 21 telephone companies operating in this country with a total pole line of 241,121 miles and 1,588,733 miles of single wire. More than 155,000,000 messages are transmitted each year. For example, the company of customers 28,885 and scattered over the country. It has 12,500 employees receiving a total amounting to nearly \$10,000,000 annually.

Potash Discovered in Japan.

Potassium salts, used as a basis in the manufacture of glass and soap have been recently discovered in nearly all of the numerous salt wells in Szechuan Province, China, which range in depth from 1,000 to 3,000 feet. states an issue of Finance and Commerce.

AFFAIR OF GREAT DIGNITY

Daily Opening of Session of British House of Commons is a Ceremonious Matter.

The recent retirement of Hon. William Lowther, who was speaker of the British house of commons for 16 years, has given rise to considerable comment on that job which is one of great dignity. The opening of the daily session of commons is itself an affair of much solemnity.

First comes the speaker's attendant, wearing evening dress, with a gold badge suspended from a chain. As he approaches the speaker's seat, he shouts, "Hats off, strangers!" and the procession immediately enters the lobby. Following the speaker's attendant comes the sergeant-at-arms bearing the massive gold mace. Somebody recalls that it was Oliver Cromwell who cried, "Take away that mace," and for the time wrecked a custom that was speedily revived.

The speaker follows the mace. He is attired in a black silk gown, full-bottomed wig and silk knee breeches, the tail of the gown being lifted from the ground by the speaker's attendant, also gowned in silk. The chamberlain and the speaker's secretary bring up the rear of the parade.

It is said that the stranger who was inclined to smile at this display had only to glance at the face of the speaker to check his levity. The latter's composure and the fine dignity of his mien, robbed the ceremony of all silliness.

"INNOCENCE"—AND AN EGG

It Was Milwaukee Man's Misfortune That He Should Thus Have Been Doubly Armed.

A certain Milwaukee man bought an egg for next morning's breakfast. Late one night and placed it carefully in the outside pocket of his coat. On the way home he met a suspicious policeman.

"Are you armed?" inquired the guardian of the peace.

"With innocence," replied the citizen.

The policeman had never heard of that. He decided it must be some new kind of Swiss cannon for night use, backed the citizen against a wall and proceeded to put him from head to foot in search for lumps. Utterly he struck the lone egg.

"Ah-ha!" said the cop. "I thought so."

What he thought was never said. He jammed his hand down into the pocket and the egg exploded—wrecked by brutality. It spread over the inside of the pocket. It clung to the cop's fingers, stickily, gummiily. The cop pulled his hand out and backed away.

"I got a notion to run you in for operatin' a shell game," he said, thickly. "Go on—beat it!"

"Beat what—the egg?" asked the man sweetly.

The cop chased him two blocks before his wind gave out.—Milwaukee Journal.

New Reason for Dehorning.

Young red cedar trees in the Wichita National forest are no longer injured by the herds which graze there. The solution of the problem was simple, the cattle are now dehorned. One of the drawbacks to pasturing national forests has been the injury which was apt to result to the young growth from the grazing animals.

After fire-protection methods on the Wichita were fairly worked out and fires became rare instead of the rule, red cedar began to come rather plentifully all over the forest under the oak stands. As the cedar began to reach a little size the supervisor of the forest noticed that it was being broken rather badly by cattle, both in the tops and in the branches. After some consideration the supervisor decided to ask the cattlemen users of the forest to run none but dehorned cattle on the Wichita.

An investigator claims to have discovered in some dusty archives that back in the days when the Pilgrims landed each person coming to America from England was required to bring with them eight bushels of corn meal, two bushels of oatmeal, two gallons of vinegar and a gallon each of oil and brandy. In view of the fact that nothing of importance hinges on the truth or falsity of this statement, not much time need be consumed to ascertain whether this is truth or fiction.

Brown Coal.

Germany expects brown coal to make her rich again. The beds of this newly discovered fuel are only a few feet below the surface of the ground, so that the material can be taken out with dredges. No shafts will be required; no timbering, no costly machinery, and no explosives. Of course "brown coal" is only coal in the making, with about one-third the heating value of bituminous. It contains much less carbon than the latter, more ash and a good deal of water.

Important Experiment.

Domestic production of chaulmoogra oil, long used in Asia for the treatment of leprosy, is made possible through a consignment of seeds of the Hydnocarpus tree, sent from Siam to the bureau of plant industry. They will be experimentally propagated in Florida, Porto Rico and Hawaii. The oil formerly was obtained only from seeds of another tree grown in Burma.

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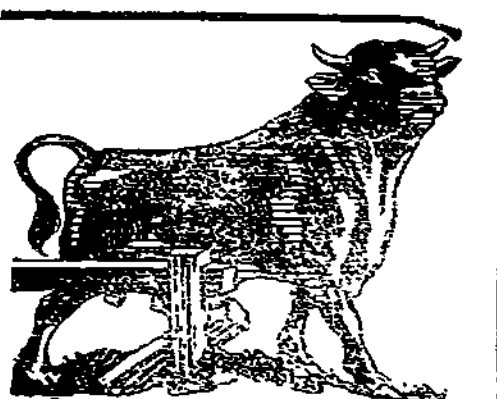
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